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PLAINTIFF Monsanto Company and Monsanto Technology LLC		DEFENDANT Dennis Thacker
PATENT OR TRADEMARK NO.	DATE OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK	HOLDER OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK
1 5,352,605	10/4/1994	Monsanto Company
2 US RE39,247 E	8/22/2006	Monsanto Technology LLC
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In the above—entitled case, the following patent(s)/ trademark(s) have been included:

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